

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SS-15 EB-08 /034 W

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FM AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

SECSTATE WASHDC 2436

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NEA/ARN FOR DRAPER

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, BENC, SY

SUBJECT: FORD INVESTMENTS IN EGYPT AND SYRIA

REF: STATE 60420

1. WE SUSPECT FORD ACTIVITIES IN EGYPT AND SYRIA WILL  
INEVITABLY BECOME LINKED AS FORD ATTEMPTS TO GET OFF  
BOYCOTT DESPITE BEST EFFORTS FORD MANAGEMENT KEEP THEM  
APART. CONSEQUENTLY, WOULD APPRECIATE LATEST INFO ON  
FORD ACTIVITIES IN THIS REGARD IN EGYPT.

2. FOR SECSTATE: PLEASE REPEAT REFTEL TO CAIRO.

MURPHY

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## Message Attributes

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